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5. [redacted] Called Ron Tammen, on the staff of Senator William Proxmire (D., Wisc.), and we chatted briefly about the Director's briefing of Senator Proxmire's Joint Economic Committee Subcommittee on Priorities and Economy in Government. We both agreed it was a useful session. Tammen mentioned that Senator Proxmire would be making a speech in the next few days supporting the Agency's intelligence-gathering and analysis functions.

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6. [redacted] Received a call from Foster Collins, [redacted] Treasury. In response to his request I gave him a report on the status of legislation amending the National Security Act which were originally introduced by Senator John C. Stennis (D., Miss.) and Representative Lucien N. Nedzi (D., Mich.) last year.

7. [redacted] Delivered to J. C. Argetsinger, [redacted] 25X1 Senate Committee on the Judiciary staff, and Gary Clary, aide to Senator Strom Thurmond (R., S. C.), a blind memorandum on S. 1210, which would amend the Freedom of Information Act.

8. [redacted] Delivered to the office of the Senate [redacted] 25X1 Committee on Foreign Relations for David Keaney a copy of "Law of the Sea Country Study" [redacted] 25X1

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8. [REDACTED] Met briefly with Clark McFadden, Senate<sup>25X1</sup> Armed Services Committee staff, and provided him with a copy of the Director's letter to Elmer Staats on the GAO audit issue. McFadden mentioned that copies of the Director's letter to Chairman John C. Stennis (D., Miss.) on the subject of the Soviet presence in the Indian Ocean were shown to members of the full committee at a meeting this morning. McFadden said Senator Stennis thought it was a good letter and it received no adverse criticism except by one member who took particular note of the section referring to the likelihood of proportionate Soviet reaction to any significant increase of U. S. presence in the area.

I talked to McFadden about developments in the House with respect to a Select Committee on Intelligence and we discussed the prospects for the establishment of a joint committee. In the course of this conversation McFadden restated a position I have previously heard Senator Stennis state personally, which is that he would not contest establishment of a joint committee on intelligence so long as the Armed Services Committee's legislative oversight of intelligence agencies is retained.

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10. [REDACTED] Jim Angleton called late in the day to say<sup>25X1</sup> that he had been seen by Fritz Schwartz and David Aaron of the Senate Select Committee staff today, and mentioned that Schwartz would probably be calling the Director. Angleton asked me who he should notify and I suggested that he call Mr. Knoche.

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5. [REDACTED] 25X1  
Subcommittee on Government Information and Individual Rights, House  
Government Operations Committee, in connection with his request and told  
him that we knew of no master computer network as alluded to in the NBC  
program of Ford Rowan and that the other allegations that the White House,  
IRS, and Treasury had direct access to our computor banks was also  
equally false. I said we did have hookups with certain elements of the  
intelligence community on certain foreign intelligence matters. I said we  
hope to have a more complete answer on these questions raised on behalf  
of Louise Becker, Library of Congress, early next week. 25X1

6. [REDACTED] 25X1  
Assistant to Senator John C. Stennis (D., Miss.), concerning Mr. Colby's  
letter on [REDACTED] and Cresswell requested that we deliver the letter  
to him in the Senator's office at 0900 hours on Monday morning even  
though I offered to have it delivered later today or during the weekend.

7. [REDACTED] 25X1  
Received a call from Bill Raiford, Congressional Research Service, Library of Congress, who asked whether the Agency  
FOI data had been up-dated in the Federal Register since 1972. After 25X1  
conferring with [REDACTED] I advised Raiford that it was up-dated on  
19 February of this year and provided him with the date and page numbers  
in the Federal Register.

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